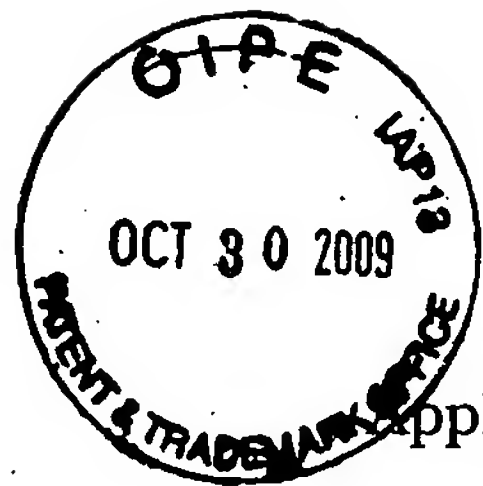


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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 30, 2009, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this Amendment.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this Amendment.

	Claims remaining after		Highest number previously paid for		Present extra
Total	8	-	20	=	0
Independent	2	-	3	=	0